

THE INDIAN REGISTRATION (BOMBAY AMENDMENT) ACT, 1929.

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BOMBAY ACT No. V OF 1929.¹

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- Adapted and modified by the Adaptation of Indian Laws Supplementary Order in Council.

An Act further to amend the Indian Registration Act, 1908, in its application to the Presidency of Bombay.

XVI of 1908, 5 & 6 Geo. V, c. 61. WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the ²Indian Registration Act, 1908, in its application to the Presidency of Bombay in manner hereinafter appearing; and whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General required by section 80A of the Government of India Act has been obtained for the passing of this Act; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. This Act may be called the Indian Registration (Bombay Amendment) Act, Short title. 1929.

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3. In section 13 of the said Act, Amendment of section 13 of Act XVI of 1908.
(1) sub-sections (1) and (2) shall be repealed; and
(2) after the word "Sub-Registrars" the words "and Inspectors of Registration offices" shall be inserted.

4. To sub-section (2) of section 21 of the said Act the following shall be added, Amendment of section 21 of Act XVI of 1908.
namely:—
"In all city surveyed areas in the Bombay Presidency, houses and lands shall also be described by their cadastral survey numbers as in the city survey maps and records."

5. In sub-section (2) of section 22 of the said Act for the word "Save" the words "Except in the case of city surveyed areas in the Bombay Presidency and except" shall be inserted. Amendment of section 22 of Act XVI of 1908.

6. In section 36 of the said Act for the words "may in his discretion" the words "in his discretion, may, upon receipt of the prescribed fee, issue, or may" shall be substituted; and after the word "issue" a comma shall be inserted. Amendment of section 36 of Act XVI of 1908.

7. In sub-section (2) of section 51 of the said Act after the figures "89" the words and figures "sub-sections (2) and (4)" shall be inserted. Amendment of section 51 of Act XVI of 1908.

8. In section 54 of the said Act after the word "books" where it occurs for the second time the words "and there shall also be prepared current indexes of the contents of the copies filed under sub-sections (1) and (3) of section 89" shall be inserted. Amendment of section 54 of Act XVI of 1908.

¹ For Statement of Objects and Reasons, see *Bombay Government Gazette*, 1929, Part V, p. 8; and for Proceedings in Council, see *Bombay Legislative Council Debates*, 1929, Vol. XXV.

² See Central Acts.

³ The proviso which added to section 8 of the Indian Registration Act, 1908, by this Act was omitted by the adaptation of Indian Laws Supplementary Order in Council.

Amendment
of section 55
of Act XVI
of 1908.

9. In section 55 of the said Act,

(a) for sub-section (1) the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(1) six such indexes shall be made in all registration offices and shall be named, respectively, Index No. I, Index No. I-A, Index No. II, Index No. II-A, Index No. III and Index No. IV ;”

(b) after sub-section (2) the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely :—

“(2A) Index No. I-A shall contain the names including the father's name, or, in the case of persons usually described by their mother's name, the mother's name and the places of residence of all persons executing, and of all persons claiming under, the documents of which copies are filed under sub-section (1) or (3) of section 89 ;”

(c) after sub-section (3) the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely :—

“(3A) Index No. II-A shall contain such particulars mentioned in section 21 as the Inspector-General may, from time to time, prescribe in this behalf in regard to every copy filed under sub-section (1) or (3) of section 89 ;”

(d) for the words “and additions” wherever they occur the words “including the father's name, or, in the case of persons usually described by their mother's name, the mother's name, and the places of residence” shall be substituted.

Amendment
of section 57
of Act XVI
of 1908.

10. In sub-section (1) of section 57 of the said Act after the words and figures “Book No. I” the following words and figures shall be inserted, namely :—

“and, so long as they are preserved, the copies filed under sub-sections (1) and (3) of section 89 and the indexes relating to such copies.”

Amendment
of section 69
of Act XVI
of 1908.

11. In clause (h) of sub-section (1) of section 69 of the said Act, after the figures “I” and “II” the figures “I-A” and “II-A” respectively shall be inserted.

Amendment
of section 89
of Act XVI
of 1908.

12. In sub-sections (1) and (3) of section 89 of the said Act for the words and figure “Book No. I” the word “office” shall be substituted.